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Part B for June 1919

SUBJECT.

Complaint re the use of Valling
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Soldiers

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The Hon President, City Muni
No 28265 D/20/6/19
forwards for information
a copy of the letter referred to in
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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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NOTES.

File No. 208-18

FILE HEADING.

Complaint regarding the use of bathing ghat at Malleswaram by Sepoys.

From

The President City Municipal Council Bangalore

No. 317	Dated 10-5-18	Received 12-5-18

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Forwarding a copy of a letter from Mr. S. Venkatarama Ayengar, Municipal Councillor Malleswaram Extension bringing to notice that a batch of Malayalam bathing Sepoys are resorting to the bathing ghat and to the flower gardens attached to the Sri Venugopalaswamy Temple and that they commit nuisance and annoyance.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

Subd with refs and a draft of GHR.

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To

The F. A. R.

Pol No 1147 S 17.5.19

To forward copy of the letter together with enclosures regd to item 1 and requests him to address the military authorities once again with a view to effectually prevent such occurrences in future.

From

The Chief Secretary to Resident
No 4699 M 16-6-19 Recd 17/6

Forwarding for information a copy of Memo No 5-57/17/2-M 30/5/19 issued by the G.O. Officer Commanding re the use of the Bathing Ghats at Bangalore by soldiers.

Submitted with a draft to the President City Municipal Council, Bangalore.

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4	To The Hon: President City Municipal Council Bangalore No. 9 dated 9 Jan 19 Reward for information a copy of the letter sent to M/s

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Routine Notes.

[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc., not intended for permanent record.]

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Recd. on JUN 16 1919
Reg. No. 7901

Copy of Residency letter
No 4688 Dated 16-6-1919
forwarding copy of a letter
from the General Officer
Commanding Bangalore
Brigade re the steps
taken by him to prevent
reoccurrence of the acts
of mischief by Soldiers
at the Malleswaram
Bathing Ghat, is
Submitted to Dewan-

Copy may be
submitted to Dewan
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B. Seshagiri
Registrar

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POLITICAL BRANCH.
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DEWAN'S OFFICE.
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Submitted to His Highness.

The accompanying papers relate to a complaint from the President, City Municipal Council, Bangalore, regarding the use by certain soldiers of the Bathing Ghat reserved for the women at Malleswaram and the steps taken by the General Officer Commanding Bangalore Brigade, to prevent a recurrence of such an[illegible] are submitted for perusal of His Highness the Maharaj[illegible]

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Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja.

Subject

Papers relating to the disturbance by soldiers at the Malleswaram Bathing Ghat

CHIEF SECRETARIAT
II
POLITICAL BRANCH
12 MAY 1919

DIARY NO. 2006

OFFICE OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL,

Bangalore City, dated 10th May 1919

CHIEF SECRETARIAT
IV
MUNCR. Depts.
12 MAY 1919

From

DEWAN BAHADUR, RAJA SABHA BHUSHANA
K. P. PUTTANNA CHETTY, ESQ., C.I.E.,
Honorary President, City Municipal Council,
BANGALORE CITY.

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C.S.Balasundaram Iyer, Esqr., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of His
Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter No.G.1114/G.M.645-17-8 dated 17th July 1918 in the matter of the soldiers bathing at the Bathing Ghat reserved for women at Malleswaram I have the honor to forward herewith copy of a letter from Mr.S.Venkataranga Iyengar, Municipal Councillor, Malleswaram Extension, bring to notice that a batch of Malayalam-talking sepoys are resorting to the bathing ghat and to the flower garden attached to the Sri gopalaswamy Temple and that they commit nuisance and annoyance quest you will kindly address the Military authorities once again that strict orders may be issued against the repetition of the nuisance.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Honorary President.

Letter dated 2-5-1919, from Mr.S.Venkataranga Iyengar, Municipal Councillor, Malleswaram Extension, Bangalore, to the Honorary President, City Municipal Council, Bangalore City.

With reference to the correspondence ending with your memo No.426 dated 31st July 1918, forwarding for information copy of letter No.557-7/Q dated the 1st July 1918, from the General Officer Commanding, Bangalore Brigade, to the First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, stating that orders have been issued forbidding troops to bathe in the Bathing Ghat at Malleswaram, I have the honor to state that Batches of Malayalam - talking sepoys are in the habit of resorting to this Bathing Ghat. Close to this is a sacred Thulasi and flower garden belonging to the Sri Venugopalakrishnaswami Temple of Malleswaram. One evening, I saw some sepoys sitting on a stone bench in this garden and throwing from their mouths spittle consisting of betel, arecanut and tobacco in spite of the watchman of the Bathing Ghat cautioning them that such act was calculated to desecrate the garden in which the images of Sri Krishna and Sri De and Bhu Devi were taken in procession and worshipped periodicall On my explaining matters to them in tamil which they understood and showing them the notice board containing the inscription. "The Military are forbidden from bathing and washing", they quie went away. Some days after this the notice board was found thrown away at some distance and the wooden post to which it was fixed had been broken. It was repaired and refixed. Yesterda a batch of them came and bathed in the Bathing Ghat in spite of Municipal Watchman's protest. [The Police constable deputed for duty here has been absent for nearly a week.] I request therefo that the Military authorities may be kindly again addressed on the subject, [and that the Superintendent of Police may be inform of the Police Constable's absence.]

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Honorary President.

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Serial No.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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No. Fol. 1147

Date of issue 17-5-1915

To

The First Asst. Resident

Signed by C. S. Balasundaram Sir

Mr

Adverting to the correspondence ending with your office Memo No 4774 of the 9th inst. regarding the use of the Bathing Ghat at Rameswaram by Soldiers I am directed to forward herewith an extract copy of a letter No 120-5-19

the President

from The Secretary Municipal Council Bijapur City

forwarding with a copy of its enclosures

Petition bringing to notice

that a batch of Thalayalam-lacking

Sepoys are resorting to

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matter with a view to

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Sd/-

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From

C.T.C. Plowden,
Major ~~ExHxxSxJAMES~~, I.A.
FIRST ASSISTANT TO THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.

PP 17/6/19

Dated Bangalore, 16th June 1919

Sir,

With reference to the correspondence ending with your letter No. Pol. 1147, dated the 17th May 1919, regarding the use of the Bathing Ghat at Malleswaram by soldiers, I am directed to forward a copy of memo No. 557/13/Q., dated the 30th May 1919, issued by the General Officer Commanding, Bangalore Brigade. The Hon'ble the Resident trusts that the action taken by the British Military Authority will effectually prevent a recurrence of the acts of which the Durbar have had cause to complain.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant.,

First Assistant Resident.

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Memo No. 557/13/G., dated the 30th May 1919, from the General Officer Commanding, Bangalore Brigade, to the Officer Commanding 2/73rd Malabar Infantry, Bangalore.

I am directed to call your special attention to Station Order No. 767 of 28-5-1919.

2. You are requested to take special precautions to prevent men of your unit from approaching the vicinity of the Malaswerdm Ghat.

3. All that area south of the Sankey's Tank Bund is to be immediately put out of bounds and steps taken to ensure that the order is understood by all ranks under your ~~control~~ command.

4. A map of the district may be obtained from this office if you are not already in possession of one.

5. . Some men of your Unit were seen by the A.P.M. this morning to be washing clothes in the Malaswerdm Ghat. If there are any further infringements of this order it will be necessary to direct you to find a permanent patrol in that locality.

C O P Y

REGISTRAR.
Resident's Office.

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No. G28269/Misc.

Date of issue 20.6.19

Signed by Dvc GRS

To

The President, City
Municipal Council,
Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your
letter No 317 of the 10th
May 1919, regarding
the use of the Bathing
Ghat at Thalleswaram
by soldiers I am directed
to forward herewith a
copy of Memo No 557-13/2

over.

dated the 30th May 1919,
issued by the Genl Officer
Commanding, Bangalore
Brigade, in the matter.

Yours Chiefly Secy